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## REPLY AFTER NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.111(b) AMENDMENT AFTER NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.111(c)

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Dear Sir:

## INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

In response to the Office Action dated September 23, 2005, the time for response being extended by one month, pursuant to the fee charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account in the papers submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks and reconsider the application. Attached hereto is a Petition for a 1-Month Extension of Time, and the fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(a), providing for a timely response up to and including May 25, 2006.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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